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Virginia Broilers



Cooperating with:



Week Ending: August 18, 2007 Number: 34 Released: August 22, 2007

Virginia Placements Down 3 Percent From A Year Ago

Virginia placements are estimated at **4,820,000** chicks. This was **up 5 percent** from the previous week but **down 3 percent** from last year. There were **6,245,000** eggs set in Virginia hatcheries. This was **down slightly** from the previous week but **up 6 percent** from last year.

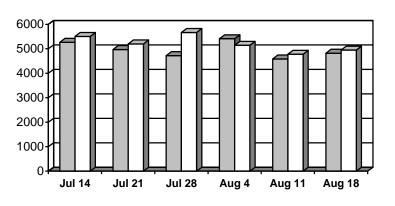
19 State Placements Up 1 Percent From Last Year

In the 19 states, **178,013,000** chicks were placed during the week. Placements were **down slightly** from the previous week but **up 1 percent** from last year. Eggs set during the week ending August 18 totaled **216,784,000**. This was **down slightly** from the previous week but **up 2 percent** from last year.

Virginia Broiler Totals

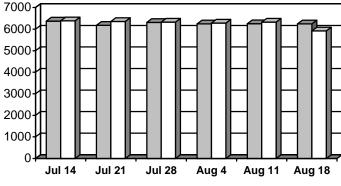
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Week Ending		2006	2007	% of Yr. Earlier	Week Ending		2006	2007	% of Yr. Earlier
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July	14	5,505	5,262	96	July	14	6,382	6,374	100
	21	5,199	99 4,971	96		21	6,353	6,175	97
	28	5,669	4,721	83		28	6,323	6,313	100
August	4	5,143	5,411	105	August	4	6,279	6,242	99
	11	4,777	4,584	96		11	6,326	6,249	99
	18	4,946	4,820	97		18	5,917	6,245	106

Chicks Placed



□2007 □2006

Eggs Set



□ 2007 □ 2006

Chaha	: Week Ending									
State	: Jul 14 : 2007	: Jul 21 : 2007	: 2007	: Aug 4 : 2007	: Aug 11 : 2007	: Aug 18 : 2007				
	: Thousand									
AL	: : 32,134	32,197	32,847	*32,769	*32,236	32,060				
AR		27,830	28,036	28,256	28,414	28,305				
	: 4,188	4,188	4,188	4,173	*4,169	4,186				
	: 1,369	4,188 1,363 35,812	*1,376	1,343	1,362	1,374				
	: 36,290 : 7,705	35,812 *7,802	35,613 *7 750	1,343 35,864 7,751	35,928	35,706 7,857				
	· 7,703	3,923	3.954	4,014	4.014	4.044				
=====	: 8,852	8,778		8,730						
MS	: 18,701		*18,802	18,741	18,726	18,656				
=: =	: 19,924	19,416		19,651						
	: 6,701	6,796	6,657	6,930	*6,574	6,572				
	: 3,995	4,090	4,102	4,003	4,187	4,188				
	: 5,722 : *15,376	5,/4/ *15 21 <i>4</i>	^5,646 *15 200	5,566 *14,281 6,242	5,/43 *14 737	5,55 4 15 012				
	: 6,374	6.175	6.313	6.242	6.249	6.245				
CA, MO, TN, & WV	: 19,387	19,356	19,758	*19,116	19,058	19,071				
19 State Total	: :*218,712	*217,528	*218,523	*217,430	*217,580	216,784				
Previous Year Total	: : 213,579	214,110	214,549	213,198	212,573	212,830				
Pct. of Prev. Year	: 102	102	102	102	102	102				
* Revised										
1	Broiler Chicks Placed, 19 Selected States									
a	: Week Ending									
State		: Jul 21 : 2007		: Aug 4 : 2007	: Aug 11 : 2007	: Aug 18 : 2007				
	: Thousand									
AL	· : 20,795	21,346	20,537	21,389	*21,401	21,072				
	: 25,377	22,879	23,136		*24,226					
DE	: 5,171	5,124		5,714						
_ = _	: 1,367	1,478		1,481	1,419					
	: 29,406	28,662	30,435		*29,154					
	6,1313,897	5,719 3,927	6,240 3,891		*6,882 3,900					
	· 5,697 · 6,017	5,606	6,175		*7,059	•				
	: 17,579	16,544	16,845		16,978					
	: 16,226	15,895	15,873	16,315	16,073	16,428				
OK	: 3,535	5,133	4,922	6,034						
	: 3,138	*2,873		*3,170						
	: 4,464	4,690		4,444						
	: *12,948 : 5,262	*11,865 4,971	*12,808 4,721		*12,909 4,584					
	: 17,371	16,266	17,475	*16,972						
19 State Total	: :*178,684	*172,978	*177,227	*180,714	*178,731	178,013				
Previous Year Total	: : 173,852	171,142	173,121	175,451	175,423	175,536				
Pct. of Prev. Year	: : 103	101	102	103	102	101				

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